Company Tracking Number: GP 57543

TOI: A03G Group Annuities - Deferred Variable Sub-TOI: A03G.002 Flexible Premium

Product Name: GP 57543

Project Name/Number: GP 57543/GP 57543

Filing at a Glance

Company: Principal Life Insurance Company

Product Name: GP 57543 SERFF Tr Num: PRLC-127031357 State: Arkansas TOI: A03G Group Annuities - Deferred Variable SERFF Status: Closed-Approved- State Tr Num: 47963

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Sub-TOI: A03G.002 Flexible Premium Co Tr Num: GP 57543 State Status: Approved-Closed

Filing Type: Form Reviewer(s): Linda Bird

Authors: Joel Sungren, Karla Disposition Date: 02/22/2011

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Date Submitted: 02/11/2011 Disposition Status: Approved-

Closed

Implementation Date Requested: On Approval Implementation Date:

State Filing Description:

General Information

Project Name: GP 57543 Status of Filing in Domicile: Authorized Project Number: GP 57543 Date Approved in Domicile: 02/03/2011

Requested Filing Mode: Review & Approval Domicile Status Comments:

Explanation for Combination/Other: Market Type: Group

Submission Type: New Submission Group Market Size: Small and Large

Group Market Type: Employer, Trust Overall Rate Impact:

Filing Status Changed: 02/22/2011

State Status Changed: 02/22/2011 Deemer Date:

Created By: Karla Waldron Submitted By: Karla Waldron

Corresponding Filing Tracking Number:

Filing Description:

No part of this filing contains any unusual or possibly controversial items from normal company or industry standards, except as clearly described in this letter.

Recently, we notified the Iowa Insurance Division of our intention to merge the Principal LargeCap Blend I Separate Account into the Principal LargeCap S&P 500 Index Separate Account. We have notified our clients of this merger as well.

While most of our clients have contracts that contain both of these Separate Accounts on riders, we also have clients

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using some of our older contracts that have Principal LargeCap Blend I Separate Account as an integral part of the contract but do not have Principal LargeCap S&P 500 Index Separate Account. For those clients, we have developed Endorsement GP 57543 to change references within their contracts from Principal LargeCap Blend I Separate Account, and any of the earlier names of that Separate Account, to Principal LargeCap S&P 500 Index Separate Account.

GP 57543 will be used with all of our contracts that contain Principal LargeCap Blend I Separate Account but do not contain Principal LargeCap S&P 500 Index Separate Account.

At some time in the future, it may be necessary for us to change the format, fonts, page breaks, etc. in this form in order to accommodate new technology or new printing equipment. We reserve the right to make these types of changes without re-filing as long as there is no change in the text of this form. However, any such accommodation will not result in the use of a font or type style or size which would violate any state law or regulation.

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Filing Company Information

Principal Life Insurance Company CoCode: 61271 State of Domicile: Iowa

711 High Street Group Code: 332 Company Type:

Des Moines, IA 50309 Group Name: State ID Number:

(515) 246-7517 ext. [Phone] FEIN Number: 42-0127290

Filing Fees

Fee Required? Yes
Fee Amount: \$50.00
Retaliatory? No

Fee Explanation:

Per Company: No

COMPANY AMOUNT DATE PROCESSED TRANSACTION #

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Correspondence Summary

Dispositions

Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Approved- Closed	Linda Bird	02/22/2011	02/22/2011

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Comment:

Rate data does NOT apply to filing.

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Account Endorsement

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Form Schedule

Lead Form Number: GP 57543

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Principal LargeCap Blend I Separate Account Endorsement

This endorsement is made a part of the contract to which it is attached. The purpose of this endorsement is to change the name of one Separate Account.

Effective March 18, 2011, the Principal LargeCap Blend I Separate Account (also known as Principal Partners Large-Cap Blend I Separate Account, Principal Large Company Blend Separate Account, Principal U.S. Stock Separate Account, or Separate Account A) merged with the Principal LargeCap S&P 500 Index Separate Account.

Therefore, on and after March 18, 2011, the term "Principal LargeCap Blend I Separate Account" and the terms "Principal Partners Large-Cap Blend I Separate Account", "Principal Large Company Blend Separate Account", "Principal U.S. Stock Separate Account", and "Separate Account A" are hereby replaced by the term "Principal LargeCap S&P 500 Index Separate Account" wherever such terms are used, including use in any riders or other endorsements attached to or made part of this contract.

This change does not affect the benefits to be provided under the contract or the operation of the remaining Separate Accounts, as explained in the contract.

The effective date of this endorsement is the later of (i) the date this endorsement has been approved for use in the state of delivery, or (ii) March 18, 2011.

PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

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